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Honest, Reliable Clothing
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We have a Special Line of Men's Overcoats, warranted
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Styles
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Grades.

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Of a Boy's \$10.00 Suit of Clothes will be given to the first person
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John D. Schwitzer vs. James R. Smith--Attachment.

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A Common Cold

Is often the beginning of serious affection of the Throat, Bronchial Tubes, and Lungs. Therefore, the importance of early and effective treatment cannot be overestimated. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral may always be relied upon for the speedy cure of a Cold or Cough.

Speedily Cured.
I am satisfied that this remedy saved my life. Jno. Webster, Marion, Ill.

I contracted a severe cold, which subsided into Pneumonia, presenting dangerous and obstinate symptoms. My physician at once ordered the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, which was a rapid and permanent cure. --H. E. Simpson, Rogers Prairie, Texas.

Two years ago I suffered from a severe Cough which settled on my chest, and continued with great severity, and took the medicines they prescribed, but received only temporary relief. A friend induced me to try Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and within a few days of this medicine I was cured. Since then I have given the Pectoral to my children, and consider it

The Best Remedy
for Colds, Coughs, and all Throat and Lung Diseases, ever used in my family. — Robert Vanderpool, McHenry, Ill.

Some time ago I took a severe Cold, which settled on my chest, and set on my lungs. I had a hacking cough, and was very weak. Those who knew me best considered me beyond hope, but I continued to suffer until I commenced using Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Less than one bottle of this valuable medicine cured me, and I feel the effects of its curative powers. — Mrs. Ann Lockwood, Akron, New York.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is considered, justly, the greatest remedy for Colds, Coughs, and all Lung Diseases, and is more in demand than any other medicine of its class. — J. F. Roberts, Magnolia, Ark.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral,
Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.
Sold by Druggists. Price \$1. six bottles.

ADULTERATED FOOD.

Starting Revelations Made by the Agricultural Department.

The chemists of the Agricultural Department at Washington have been conducting an investigation in the matter of food adulteration, with results which are not calculated to add to the peace and internal comfort of people who live by eating. It was found that the great amount of adulteration is practiced in the preparation of spices and condiments. Of twenty samples of ground cloves examined, only two were pure. The others had been polluted by the addition of clove stems, allspice and husks of various kinds. Of eight samples of cayenne pepper, only one was pure. Of ten samples of mustard, none were pure. Ten samples of allspice were examined, eight of which were pure. Of ten samples of ginger, four were pure. Only one out of thirteen samples of black pepper was found to be what it purported to be. Cayenne pepper, black pepper husks and mustard hulls were used to give flavor and pungency, while "body" was supplied by ground beans and rice, and colored by charcoal. The report mentions a spice-grinder who managed in the course of a few months to make use of five thousand pounds of coconut husks in his business. In some cases the spurious matter was found to compose two-thirds of the whole compound examined.

Other facts will doubtless be revealed even more startling than those here given. Spices and condiments are not among the essentials of human food, and adulteration here would perhaps be a lighter offense than in other and more important articles of consumption. But the evil seems to be on the increase, and unless something can be done to check it, there will be nothing left in the markets which is not corrupted by hideous and injurious adulterations.

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stinate case of leucorrhea, excessive flowing, painful menstruation, etc.

It is a prescription of the womb, weak back, female weakness, antevension, retroversion, bearing-down pains, etc., and is the greatest curative and restorative tonic, an absolute cordial and restorative tonic.

As a soothng and strengthening nervine, it is unequalled, and is invaluable in allaying and subduing nervous excitability, irritability, etc.

After distressing, nervous symptoms commonly attendant upon functional and organic disease, such as neuralgia, rheumatism, etc., and relieved mental anxiety and dependency.

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FARM AND HOUSEHOLD.

Cake.—Three eggs, one cup of sugar, four tablespoonsfuls of water, a pinch of salt, one cup of flour and two teaspoonsfuls of baking powder sifted with the flour. Tins are good baked in layers and spread with cocoanut.—Household.

Potato and Corn Muffins.—Two cups of cold mashed potato; two cups of sweet milk; two eggs, well beaten; two cups corn meal enough for a batter. Soften the potato with the milk, working out all the lumps; then stir in corn meal till the batter is just thick enough to drop easily from the spoon; add the whipped eggs and beat hard. Drop into the gem pans, oilled and hot, and bake in an oven even from twenty to thirty minutes.—Boston Budget.

—It is difficult, says a Belgian journal, to distinguish between iron and steel tools, having as they do the same polish and workmanship, though use will commonly show the difference, but to make the distinction quickly it is only necessary to place the tool upon a stone and drop upon it some diluted nitric acid; the parts water to one of acid, and if of iron the tool will remain clean, while if of steel it will show a black spot where touched with the acid.—Exchange.

Cook Reed and Other Small Birds.—After picking and cleaning the birds, put a lump of butter the size of a hickory nut in the belly, then roll them in the yolk of an egg, then in bread crumbs, tie them and truss them on the bird-split, baste them well. While they are roasting sprinkle bread crumbs over them. They will cook in fifteen minutes with a quick fire. Garnish them with sliced lemons. If broiled they are very nice served on toast.—Exchange.

Parsnips.—Wash, scrape and cut in slices half inch thick; have a half pint of hot water with a tablespoonful of butter in a skillet, put in the parsnips, season with salt and pepper, cover closely and cook until the water is boiled away. Do not let it burn watch closely for this purpose. By this means the parsnips will be of a creamy brown. Parsnips may also be boiled till tender in a kettle, then sliced and placed in the oven till browned.—Farm, Field and Stockman.

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The immense sale we have had on these goods, and the satisfaction they are giving the wearers, has proven them to be, beyond a doubt, THE MOST DESIRABLE AND PRACTICAL in-door and out-door COAT ever introduced for Fall and Winter use. The points which make them so are, their being easy and perfect-fitting garments, the very thing BOOK-KEEPERS, CLERKS, BAR-KEEPERS and everybody needs for in and out door work, protecting the body from colds, without the least inconvenience, which is experienced in the wear of any other garment for like purposes.

Our assortment of them is complete, having received an entire new line, the third invoice so far this season.

We also carry a Complete line of CARDIGAN JACKETS,

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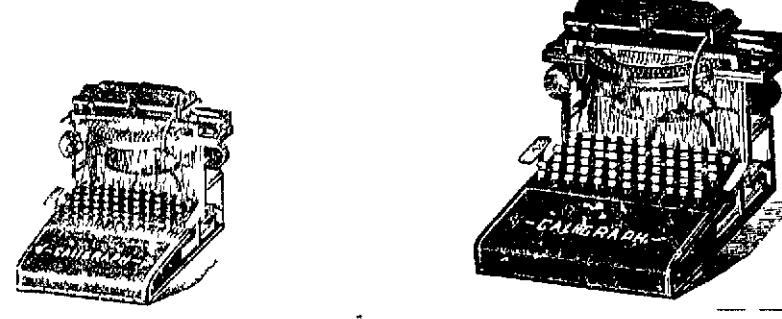
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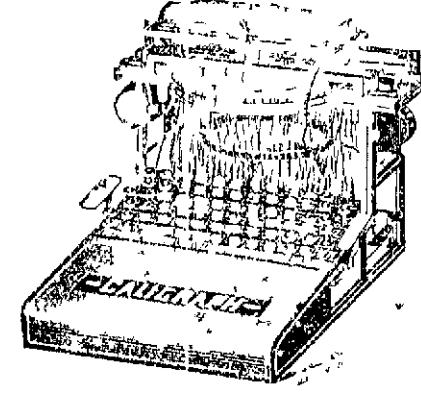


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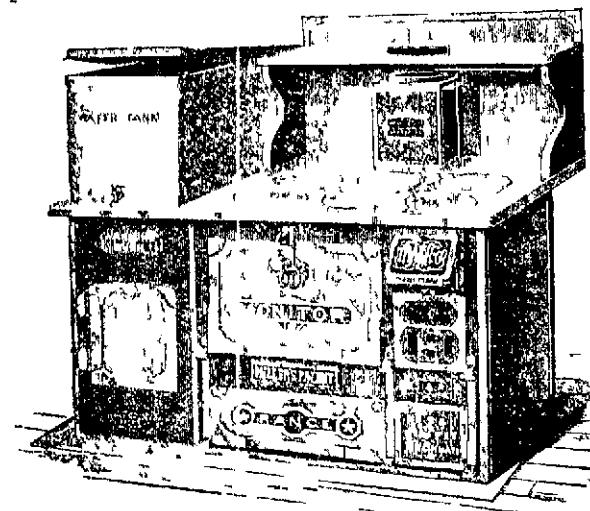
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Booth's Oysters,

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Java Coffees,

THE CELEBRATED

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DINGES & COOP.

MONDAY EVE NOV 14, 1887

LOCAL NEWS.

For dinner and tea sets, go to

E D BARTHOLOMEW & Co's

The agent for "We, Us & Co" was in

the city to day. The performance will

be given on Saturday night

Ays first class grocer in the city will

sell you Shellabarger's White Loaf flour

You men, attend the evangelistic

meeting at the Young Men's Christian

Association this evening

Leathers are said to be six fortune tellers

in Decatur who are making more or less

trouble. The leathers ought to be driven

out of town

BUCKWHEAT flour, syrups and golden

butter at Banks & Patterson's grocery

store

SEVERAL hundred people heard Bar-

ney talk on temperance at the tabernacle

Sunday afternoon. The usual collection

followed the address

The beer is the cheapest. But White

Powm flour, made by Hatfield & Co

The A W ALLS sale of property

at Hurstmon aggregated \$3800. Mr

A will leave for California within ten

days

You can get pure maple syrup and

buckwheat flour at J. Lydia & Co's gro-

cery store

No motor road carts or more stylish

carts to be found in the city than at

D. I. Hinscher's shop on Wood street

By request Rev Arthur Bradshaw occi-

eped the pulpit at the African Metho-

dical church on Sunday. His subject in

the evening was "Divine Healing."

On the annual session of the Grand

Loco I O O F to be held at Cairo

Nov 15th to 17th, the I. C. R. B. will

sell excursion tickets on the 12th to 16th

at \$6 15 for the round trip, good to re-

turn until Nov 21st

80460

Smaller fresh Baltimore oysters and

crackers at Knoble & Osborne's grocery

store

Stor at Lydia & Eckels' hardware store

and select a Round Oak stove to keep the

house warm

Our Upright Piano is a specialty with

Haines Bros, and for beauty of dash

sweetness and richness of tone, they are

not surpassed by anything to be found in

the world.—New York Baptist

But your groceries at Niedermann's store

Prompt delivery

Do stand on the order of going;

— but go straight to the next corner and

buy a bottle of Dr Bull's Cough Syrup,

if you want to cure your cold

Farmer and horsemen read this!—I

find Salvation Oil a most excellent lumi-

nizer among houses, and I take pleasure in

advertising it as a certain remedy for

scrofula.

JAMES THOMAS,

1 Franklin Road, near Baltimore,

MARYLAND.

FOREIGN NEWS.

England

BOURG IN THE LIFE GUARDS

London, Nov 11.—An enormous crowd,

estimated to number 60,000 persons,

gathered in the vicinity of the Radic-

ca Square, to witness the funeral

of General Sir Charles Mordaunt, Com-

mender-in-Chief of the British Army.

The funeral services over the remains

of Mrs. Sarah, Lady Mordaunt, took place

on Saturday afternoon from the First Metho-

dical church. Dr. McElroy officiated.

The exercises were very brief. The min-

ister read the 23d Psalm, then talked a

few minutes and offered a prayer. The choir

during the service sang "Abide

With Me" and "Rock of Ages." The organ

was played by Mr. G. T. Loring.

Dr. McElroy conducted the services.

James McElroy, pastor of the church,

read the 10th Psalm.

The regular meeting of the Sons of

Veterans will be held at G. A. R. Post

this evening. All members of the

Camp are invited to be present on time

as business of special importance will

come up for consideration.

The Baptist church needs the larger

quarters which their new church will give

them very much, their present building

is entirely too small to meet their

needs. The morning congregations com-

pletely fill the house, chairs often being

used at the doors. Last night over

and available foot of room was occu-

pied, people often sitting on the pulpit

platform and in my standing during the

entire service. Dr. Vosburgh preached

a strong sermon on "Profane Swearing"

Next Sunday night his subject will be

"The Power of Silence." The congrega-

tion expect to get into their new church

by the first of February.

California Excursions.

On Wednesday November 16th and 17th,

the St. Louis and San Francisco rail-

way company will sell excursion tick-

ets to San Fran-

ces, Los Angeles, San Diego and other prin-

cipal California points at a rate of \$7.50

for the round trip. From Decatur Illinois \$7.50 and

for other principal towns throughout Illinois

and in all proportion rates are still

lower. Persons taking the train to San Fran-

cisco will be required to pay \$1.00 extra

for each passenger.

Persons taking the train to Los Angeles

will be required to pay \$1.50 extra

for each passenger.

Persons taking the train to San Die-

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